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For: **INTRAVASCULAR CATHETER  
WITH A REPLACEABLE SHAFT  
SECTION**

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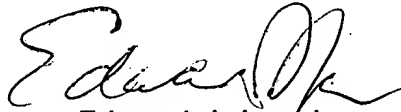
The Commissioner  
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Dear Sir:

The applicants wish to bring to the attention of the Patent  
Office the reference listed on the attached PTO-1449. It is believed that this  
reference is no more pertinent than the previously cited reference.  
Applicants believe that the presently pending claims are directed to

patentable subject matter. Consideration and an early allowance are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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Attachment: PTO-1449 and cited reference

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